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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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Appln. No.: 09/802,926

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For: A UNIT FOR THE SERVO-ASSISTED OPERATION OF A MOTOR-VEHICLE
GEARBOX

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of April 2, 2003, please amend the above-identified
application as follows:

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the
application:

LISTING OF CLAIMS:

C 1. (Currently Amended) An operating unit for servo-assisted operation of a
motor-vehicle gearbox having a pair of mechanical operating members for selection and
engagement, respectively, the combined movement of which brings about the engagement of a
selected transmission ratio of the gearbox, the operating unit comprising actuator means which